

~~Claim 16~~, line 1, please delete "or claim 15".

~~Claim 19~~, line 1, please change "any one of claims 1 to 18" to --claim 1--.

~~Claim 20~~, line 1, please change "any one of claims 1 to 18" to --claim 1--.

~~Claim 23~~, line 1, please delete "or claim 22".

~~Claim 24~~, line 1, please change "any one of claims 21 to 23" to --claim 21--.

~~Claim 27~~, line 1, please change "any one of claims 21 to 26" to --claim 21--.

~~Claim 28~~, line 1, please change "any one of claims 21 to 26" to --claim 21--.

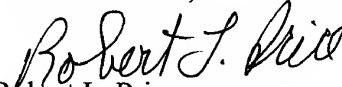
~~Claim 29~~, lines 3 and 4, please change "any one of claims 1 to 29" to --claim 1--.

REMARKS

The above-referenced application is amended to delete the multiple dependency of claims 4-7, 11, 13-14, 16, 19-20, 23-24, and 27-29 to avoid the multiple dependent claim filing fee.

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